

## **CERTIFICATE OF ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION**

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January 5, 2007  
Date

### **PATENT**

#### **IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appellants: Hakey et al.  
Serial No.: 10/732,953  
Filed: December 11, 2003  
Group Art Unit: 2891  
Examiner: David A. Zarneke  
Title: SHALLOW TRENCH ISOLATION FILL BY LIQUID PHASE  
DEPOSITION OF SiO<sub>2</sub>  
Confirmation No.: 9243  
Attorney Docket: ROC920030270US1

Mail Stop Appeal Brief – Patents  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

#### **TRANSMITTAL OF APPEAL BRIEF (PATENT APPLICATION-37 CFR 1.192)**

1. Transmitted herewith is the APPEAL BRIEF in this application with respect to the Notice of Appeal filed on October 11, 2006.

2. **STATUS OF APPLICANT**

☒ other than a small entity  
☐ small entity

3. **FEE FOR FILING APPEAL BRIEF**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(f) the fee for filing the Appeal Brief is:

☐ small entity \$250  
☒ other than small entity \$500

Appeal Brief fee due: \$500

4. **EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

Fee for Extension of:	other than <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>	
_____	one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
_____	two months	\$ 450.00	\$225.00
_____	three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
_____	four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00

Fee: \$ 0

If an extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

*(check and complete the next item, if applicable)*

- [ ] An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ \_\_\_\_\_

or

- (b) [X] Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

5. **TOTAL FEE DUE**

The total fee due is:

Appeal Brief fee:	<u>\$500.00</u>
Extension fee (if any):	<u>\$ _____</u>
<b>Total Fee Due:</b>	<b><u>\$500.00</u></b>

6. **FEE PAYMENT**

- [ ] Attached is a check in the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
[ ] Charge Account No. 23-3000 the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

7. **FEE DEFICIENCY**

- [X] If any additional extension and/or fee is required, this is a request therefor and to charge Account No. 23-3000.  
**and/or**  
[X] If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 23-3000.